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SUBJ: U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICIALS-QUADRILATERAL  
CONFERENCE VISIT SAUDI ARABIA

REF : A. STATE 175235; B. KUWAIT 3600

1. U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE VICE-CHAIRMAN CLINTON MORRISON AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DIRECTOR JOHN CALDWELL VISITED JIDDA ON AUGUST 26-27 AND MET WITH GOVERNOR ANWAR ALI, DEPUTY GOVERNOR PETROMIN, AND SEVERAL LOCAL BUSINESSMEN. MEETINGS FAVORABLE IN GENERAL TO IDEA OF HOLDING CONFERENCE, BUT PROBABLY NOT RPT NOT IN GENEVA.

2. SELECTION OF RIGHT MIX OF PRIVATE BUSINESSMEN AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS VIEWED AS NECESSARY FOR SUCCESS, TOGETHER WITH CAREFUL FOCUS OF MEETING ON DEVELOPMENT. HOWEVER, UNLIKE KUWAIT (REF B), THERE SEEMED TO BE NO SAUDI NERVOUSNESS ABOUT COMBINED MEETINGS WITH EUROPEANS/ AMERICANS/JAPANESE. SAUDIS SEEMED TO WELCOME OPPORTUNITY IT MIGHT GIVE TO EXPRESS THEIR INTEREST IN FREE ENTERPRISE. ACTING HEAD OF CHAMBER BIN ZAGR SAID MEETING WAS IMPORTANT

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AND ALL NOTED PROMINENCE IN ORGANIZATION OF GEORGE BALL, A

POPULAR PERSONALITY HERE.

3. FOLLOW-UP MEETINGS BY KEY CHAMBER/QUADCONFERENCE PERSONALITIES SHOULD BRING RESULTS.

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